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In re Patent Application of:  
Andrew Dawood

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For: A FIXTURE FOR ORTHODONTIC  
ANCHORAGE AND OSSEO DISTRACTION  
OF THE ALVEOLAR PROCESS, AND FOR  
THE STABILIZATION OF TEMPORARY  
PROSTHESES

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Examiner: M. N. Bumgarner

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed August 14, 2006, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I, claims 1, 3-9, 13 and 14 for continued examination.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 21547-00298-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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